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Mr. Philip Otis, P.E., Remedial Project Manager  
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RE: Draft Health and Safety Plan  
Allen Harbor Landfill (Site 09)  
NCBC Davisville, Rhode Island  
Submitted 10 February 1998, Dated 6 February 1998

Dear Mr. Otis;

The Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management, Office of Waste Management (RIDEM) has reviewed the above referenced document and comments are attached.

If you have any questions or require additional information please call me at (401) 222-2797 ext. 7138.

Sincerely,

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Attachment:

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RIDEM Comments For:

**Draft Health and Safety Plan  
Allen Harbor Landfill  
Naval Construction Battalion Center  
Davisville, Rhode Island**

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1. **Page 8, Section 3.2, Background and Site Description;  
Paragraph 1, Sentence 1.**

*Camp Fogarty was transferred to the U.S. Department of the Army in 1993 and is assigned to the Rhode Island National Guard.*

This sentence should be removed from the text as it has little to do with Allen Harbor Landfill.

2. **Page 38, Section 11.0, Waste Disposal Procedures;  
Paragraph 4.**

If non-intact containers are found which contain free product they should be handled as the procedure outlined for intact containers.

3. **Page 40, Section 12.3, Local Emergency Support Units;  
Paragraph 4.**

**Page 43, Section 12.5, Emergency Medical Treatment;  
Paragraph 3, Sentence 1.**

The referenced sentence on page 40 states that at least one person per shift will be trained in first aid, CPR, etc, while on page 43 it is stated that at least two such people will be on each shift. Please clarify.

4. **General Comment.**

Please provide a list of acronyms.

5. **General Comment.**

Procedures should be implemented to insure that dust, generated from construction activities, is not traveling to populated areas.